

RESOLUTION NO. 12 (2007)

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APPROVING THE ABAG REPORT "TAMING NATURAL

DISASTERS" AS THE CITY OF SAN MATEO'S

LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

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RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Mateo, California, that:

WHEREAS; the Bay Area is subject to various earthquake-related hazards such as ground shaking, liquefaction, landslides, fault surface rupture, and tsunamis; and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various weather-related hazards including wildfires, floods and landslides; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Mateo recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Mateo seeks to maintain and enhance both a disaster resistant City of San Mateo and region by reducing the potential loss of life, property damage, and environmental degradation from natural disasters, while accelerating economic recovery from those disasters; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Mateo is committed to increasing the disaster resistance of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the City of San Mateo, as well as in the Bay Area as a whole; and

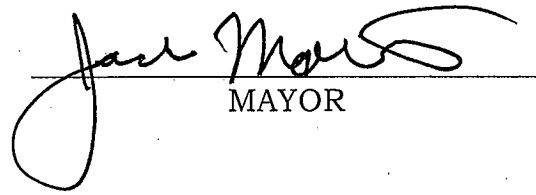
WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires all cities, counties and special districts to have adopted a Local hazard Mitigation Plan to receive disaster mitigation funding from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, ABAG has approved and adopted the ABAG report "Taming Natural Disasters" as the multi-jurisdictional plan for the San Francisco Bay Area;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED and ORDERED that:

1. The City of San Mateo adopts and adapts with its local annex, this multi-jurisdictional plan as its Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

2. The City of San Mateo commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further action, as appropriate, as identified in the City of San Mateo Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
CITY CLERK

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Resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of  
San Mateo, California, at a regular meeting held on  
January 16, 2007, by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: Council Members LEE, EPSTEIN, GROOM,  
GROTTE, MATTHEWS

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

(SEAL) /s/ NORMA GOMEZ, City Clerk